From: Shawn Sartorius
To: Oetker, Susan
Subject: Re: Delaware spill
Date: Thursday, August 3, 2017 10:51:40 AM

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Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 3, 2017, at 10:43 AM, Oetker, Susan <susan_oetker@fws.gov> wrote:

> Please see below about a spill of 18,000 barrels of produced water on the Delaware River. I think we have accurately assessed the risk of a spill in that area, if we get further questions on that. I imagine this is currently negatively affecting reintroduced individuals, if they aren't eliminated entirely.
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> Date: Thu, Aug 3, 2017 at 12:38 PM
> Subject: Fwd: Delaware spill
> To: Frank Weaver <frank_weaver@fws.gov>, Susan Oetker <susan_oetker@fws.gov>, "Riseley-White, Hannah, OSE" <Hannah.Riseley-White@state.nm.us>, Stephen Davenport <Stephen_Davenport@fws.gov>, Doug Lynn <dclynn@cehmm.org>, "emily.wirth@cehmm.org" <emily.wirth@cehmm.org>, "Henne, Lisa" <lhenne@slo.state.nm.us>, "Schiffmiller, Gary, NMENV" <gary.schiffmiller@state.nm.us>, "Trujillo, Daniel, DGF" <Daniel.Trujillo2@state.nm.us>, Lynn Wellman <lynn_wellman@fws.gov>, Colin McDonald <Colin.McDonald@cpa.texas.gov>, "Dennis, George" <george_dennis@fws.gov>, Joel Lusk <Joel_Lusk@fws.gov>
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> Hi All-
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> Please see Ty's note below. I have contacted the EPA and NMED spill response, and Frank is heading down now to get more information.
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> Thanks,Deb
> ---------- Forwarded message ----------
> From: **Allen, Ty** <thallen@blm.gov>
> Date: Thu, Aug 3, 2017 at 10:08 AM
> Subject: Delaware spill

To: Debra Hill <debra_hill@fws.gov>

Deb,

Just got a report from our lead environmental specialist that a produced water spill occurred sometime on August 1st and has entered the Delaware River in Texas. This is important to us because the river flows from Texas into New Mexico before reaching the Pecos River and going into Red Bluff Reservoir. The report indicated that the spill was 18,000 barrels (756,000 gallons) of produced water, of which 10.8 barrels (454 gallons) was oil skim. I have staff going to monitor the Delaware River from BLM lands to identify any impacts to vegetation and wildlife. Please let me know how we can be of assistance in monitoring or further responding to this incident.

I would guess that any agency or potential participant that has shown interest in the Texas Hornshell CCAA would appreciate a courtesy heads up on the incident.

Thanks,

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